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For: FUNGICIDAL HETEROCYCLIC AROMATIC AMIDES AND THEIR
COMPOSITIONS, METHODS OF USE AND PREPARATION

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of April 26, 2005, please consider the following
amendments in the above identified application.

Claims 1, 3, 4, 6, 7, 9, 10, 12, 13, 15-17, 19, 20, 22, 23, 25, 26, 28, 29, and 31-33 are
currently pending in the present application. All claims have been allowed.

The Examiner requests that the status paragraph on page 1 of the specification be updated by
adding the present status as a reissue application, that an additional IDS be filed containing
all the references of record in the original patent, and that submission of a new copy of all the
claims with the appropriate underlining and brackets be submitted.

Please consider the following amendments for compliance to the Examiner's requests.

Amendments to the specification begin on page 2 of this response.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this response.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this response.